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County Correspondence

LIBERTYVILLE.

Mrs. Sophia Shaw is on the sick list.
Mrs. Jane Simpson is visiting in
Fredericktown.

Miss Beulah Hicks is home from
Flat River for an indefinite stay.
The farmers are making use of
the good weather and are plowing
for corn.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Weathering-
ton spent last Sunday with Mrs. S.
O. Moore.

Mr. H. W. Carver of Farmington
visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Estes of Flat
River are spending the week here
with relatives.

Mr. Bast Stepp is spending a few
days the guest of his father, Mr.
Asa Stepp of Desloge.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baues of
Fredericktown were here on busi-
ness one day last week.

Mrs. France Heitman of Flat
River spent one night here last week
with Mrs. Lane Hughes.

Mrs. R. V. Tillman spent last
week visiting her daughter, Mrs.
Dempster of Mine LaMotte.

Miss Bessie Ritter spent last Sat-
urday and Sunday here the guest of
her mother, Mrs. G. W. Sebastian.

Rev. Showmaker of Fredericktown
delivered a very interesting dis-
course at the M. E. Church last
Sunday.

Mr. Wm. Estes, one of our most
enterprising farmers, has a first
class carpenter here and is building
a barn on his farm.

Mr. J. F. Moore and Miss Elsie
Volbracht of Farmington were the
guests of the former's mother, Mrs.
S. O. Moore, last Saturday night
and Sunday.

Mr. Jim Narenc and Mr. George
Hughes of DeSoto visited the former's
mother, and the latter's grand-
mother of this place, who has been
ill but is improving nicely.

BISMARCK.

J. E. Nockle and wife visited Ste.
Genevieve Sunday.

Rev. Steward visited Farmington
and Esther Wednesday.

Miss Edie Neely visited relatives
in Flat River this week.

Dr. Barth reports a baby boy at
the home of Joe Goeltz.

Mrs. Geo. W. Parker is visiting
friends in St. Louis this week.

Mr. Scoggins of Glover was trans-
acting business here this week.

Dr. J. L. Eaton made a profes-
sional visit to Arenia Monday.

Claude A. Eaton of the Irondale
Bank visited relatives here Sunday.

J. A. Reyburn and daughter of
Ironton visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Shy of Reynolds county is
visiting her son, O. N. Shy, this
week.

Wm. Trauernicht and Toney Ro-
ery of Ironton transacted business
here Saturday.

St. Louis parties were here Sun-
day enroute to Iron Mountain with
a view of purchasing the entire Iron
Mountain property.

ELVINS.

Frank Howell is reported improv-
ing.

Mrs. Dave Gordon is visiting in
Bismarck this week.

Miss Birdie Taylor visited Miss
Carrie Kishlar Saturday and Sun-
day.

Mrs. Chas. Carr and Miss Emma
Boyer were in Farmington last
week.

Miss Julia Nichol, one of our pub-
lic school teachers, is sick at her
home in Esther this week.

The Bay View Reading Club gave
a colonial entertainment at the home
of Mrs. Henry Wahl Tuesday even-
ing.

Mr. Charlie Asher and Miss Katie
Gordon were married Tuesday, the
7th, Rev. L. D. Nichol officiating.

Mrs. C. G. Carr and Mrs. Charles
Pirtle attended the Mission Board
meeting in Flat River Monday and
report a full attendance and good
meeting.

ESTHER.

Miss Rosalee Mackley is on the
sick list this week.

Mrs. Sam Craig of Flat River
was visiting in Esther this week.

Mrs. Kennett Dobbins attended the
meeting of the Lead Belt Mission
Board in Flat River Monday.

Mr. Clifford Covington returned
from Cape Girardeau Saturday
where he had been engaged on the
telephone force.

Mr. Charlie Asher and Miss Katie
Gordon of Elvins, were married at
the parsonage Tuesday by Rev. L.
D. Nichol.

The Revival meeting at the Meth-
odist Church continues with growing
interest. The pastor is being as-
sisted by Rev. Stewart of Bismarck
and Presiding Elder Crowe.

BONNE TERRE.

Earl Donnegan had business in
St. Louis Monday.

Mrs. Dave Moran was a Flat
River visitor Saturday.

W. A. Showman was in Doe Run
Saturday on business.

C. E. Gilbert was in St. Louis on
business Monday and Tuesday.

Ed. Vogt, who has been on the
sick list, is much better at this re-
port.

Maud Smith of Doe Run spent
Saturday in this city visiting
friends.

Nace Turley and wife of Thurman
visited Mrs. J. Byington of this city
Saturday.

Mrs. S. O'Neal of Doe Run is
visiting her mother, Mrs. C. Vogt,
this week.

Fred Miller who has been very ill
for several weeks is again able to
resume duties.

The quarterly conference held at
Centenary Church was well attend-
ed Monday night.

An Epworth League Social will be
given Friday night at the home of
Mrs. C. H. Briggs.

Jack Breckenridge, who is demon-
strating oil burners in this city,
spent Saturday in St. Louis.

J. P. Austin went to Avon, in Ste.
Genevieve county, to finish an un-
expired term of school there.

Mr. and Mrs. George Knapp de-
parted Wednesday for Farmington
where they will visit several days.

Chas. Lesser departed the latter
part of the week for Eagle Pass,
Texas, where he has accepted a po-
sition.

Christine Chandler, who has been
visiting her grandmother of Farm-
ington, returned home the first of
the week.

Miss Myrtle Simms, who was
taken to the Baptist Sanitarium for
treatment, is much improved at this
time.

Charles Showman of Dupo, Illi-
nois, spent several days of this week
visiting his sister, Miss Blanche
Showman.

Leslie Back, who has been con-
fined to the house a number of
weeks, is again in condition to be
up and out of doors.

Uncle Charley Koester is slowly
improving from an attack of pneu-
monia, and hopes to be up and
around in a few days.

Dean Thompson, who has been ill
in St. Louis several months, was
brought home Monday and is still
in a very serious condition.

Presiding Elder Crowe delivered
an excellent sermon last Sunday
morning at Centenary Church of
this city and it was enjoyed by all
present.

Among those who attended the
Lead Belt Mission Board of Flat
River Monday were Mesdames N.
B. Henry, C. L. Norwine, Geo.
Knapp and H. H. Hammond.

The Brotherhood Society are plan-
ning to give a Valentine social the
14th, and from entertainments pre-
viously given under their direction
we judge this will be a good one.

Mrs. Columbus Kelso, who has
been at Richwoods several weeks
since the illness and death of both
her mother and father, returned to
her home in this city the first of
the week.

The basket ball game given Sat-
urday by Bonne Terre vs. Flat River
was a rousing turn out. The score
ran 28-13 in favor of Bonne Terre.
We are justly proud of our Athletic
Association.

"The Emperium" five and ten
cent store of The Wells Mercantile
Company had opening day Monday
and everybody was on the move to
snatch the useful articles piled high
on the bargain counter.

Under the auspices of the W. C.
T. U. a gold medal contest will be
given Friday evening at Elvins.
These diligent temperance workers
are expecting a great audience—
don't disappoint them.

Charley House died Saturday, the
4th, at the home of his father, after
a lingering illness of several months.
The funeral services were conducted
at the house by Rev. Z. Spence and
the remains laid to rest in the city
cemetery.

Last Saturday the four-year-old
child of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Fite
was very seriously burned by fall-
ing into a kettle of boiling water.
While the little one is still in a
very critical condition it is thought
that by careful nursing and special
medical attention he will soon be en-
tirely well.

The Lead Belt Mission Board met
at Flat River Monday, the 6th. A
number of interesting talks were
made and splendid reports were
handed in for work done last year.
Several thank pledges were also
made. The work as outlined was
indeed encouraging. Mrs. C. L.

Norwine, who has served two years
as President of the Board, retired,
with regrets from the members, who
fully appreciated her faithful work
during that time and the excellency
she possessed as leader. A rising
vote of thanks was extended to her
to manifest appreciation. The of-
ficers elected for the ensuing year
are as follows: Mrs. N. B. Henry,
President; Mrs. M. B. Barber, First
Vice President; Miss Mabelle Nor-
wine, Second Vice President; Mrs.
Chas. Carr, Treasurer, and Mrs. Eli
Brand, Secretary.

At the grand rally given February
3d by the Ladies of the Maccabees
of the World, Mrs. Elizabeth San-
ford, Deputy State Commander, was
present and the following officers
were installed: Mrs. Hilda Page,
Lady Commander; Mrs. Mamie
Thurman, Lady Lieutenant Com-
mander; Mrs. Laura McElfish,
Lady Recorder Keeper; Mrs. Bessie
DeBachman, Lady Financier
Keeper; Mrs. Alvittine Creely, Past
Lady Commander; Mrs. Mary Au-
Buchon, Lady at Arms; Mrs. Mamie
Primo, Lady Sargeant; Mrs. Maud
Calvird, Lady Sentinel, and Mrs. F.
O'Ross, Lady Pickett. From the
splendid reports given it is evident
that this organization has done some
good work. The program for the
evening's entertainment was splen-
dently arranged and all present en-
joyed the excellent singing, recita-
tions and the drills given by the
children. The drill given by the
ladies of the order was well done
and worthy of comment.

JAYDEE.

"Uncle" Wm. Pigg has been poorly
the past two weeks.

Mrs. Chapman at this writing is
very low and her recovery is con-
sidered doubtful.

Mr. W. T. Newby visited his
brother-in-law, Mr. Nathan Beckett
of Leadwood, who is ill and very
low.

Mrs. Mattie Pigg, wife of Wm.
Pigg, is still at Flat River under
treatment of the physicians there,
but hasn't improved much as far as
we have learned.

The meeting at Marvin Chapel is
still in progress. Up to this time
there have been seven or eight con-
versions. Revs. John Maynard and
Poston and Bro. Wood are laboring
very hard, and we pray that their
labors may not be in vain.

THE PARSONS' BAND.

The Dexter Statesman has the
following good words to say of the
Bonne Terre Band:

When the curtain went up at
Biggs' opera house last Wednesday
evening Parsons' Band from Bonne
Terre, whether they knew it or not,
were performing before the most
critical audience they have been
called to face in this section of the
State, for it is known that no town
in several thousand of its population
has more musically inclined and
trained musicians among its people
than has Dexter. It is then to the
high credit of this organization that
although the weather was abomi-
nally rainy and slushy, an audience
filled Biggs' opera house, and not
one word but of praise was after-
ward heard of the entire program.

Many remarked that it came nearer
being a band with every member an
artist than any of the number which
have come to Dexter, and we have
had among the best in our Lyceum
and Chautauqua offerings. Every
number was a hit, and one of the
band was heard to remark that Dexter
was the most appreciative au-
dience they had entertained in this
itinerary.

Mr. R. R. S. Parsons, the leader,
is a multimillionaire, who, while a
real business man, and handling an
intricate business, involving mil-
lions and feeding thousands, is not
sordid in his tastes, but is giving
the world the sunshine of a true
poetic nature. A lover of man, he
is a lovable man and a born leader,
and the fact that every man in the
company is wedded to his leader
completes the autonomy so neces-
sary to success in this line. It will
be a long time before Dexter has
another treat like this visit of Par-
sons' band.

DIES OF HEART FAILURE.

Mrs. Finetta H. Anderson, widow
of the late Otto Anderson of Elvins,
died of heart failure at her home at
Avon on the 27th ult., in the 64th
year of her age. She had suffered
with heart trouble some time prior
to her death, and the end was no
surprise to her friends and relatives.
Mrs. Anderson held a policy for
\$2,000 in the Hartford Life Ins. Co.,
payable to her sisters, Margaret
and Louisa Gooch. Besides these
two sisters she leaves one sister,
Anna, who when last heard from
was in Idaho; also two brothers-in-
law, Frank Doucet and Wm. Biggs.
She became a member of the Meth-
odist Church while attending Carle-
ton Institute in her youth. Her re-
mains were buried beside those of
her husband in the K. of P. ceme-
tery in Farmington on Monday,
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BUSINESS COLLEGE NOTES.

New students since last report are
Elbert James, Zahna, Bollinger Co.;
Barney Hamilton, DeLassus; El-
mer Ferguson, Farmington, all hav-
ing enrolled in the bookkeeping and
banking department, while some
special students have recently en-
rolled in the Night School.

Last Friday was the final examina-
tion day and the following received
first honors in the different subjects:
Spelling, Misses Price and Doughty;
arithmetic, Mr. Thurman; English,
Mr. Westover and Miss Doughty;
penmanship, Miss Glover and Mr.
Hodson; letter writing, Mr. Hodson
and Miss Price.

President Moothart made his regu-
lar inspection visit to the Dexter
and Kennett schools last week.

Frank Lewis, one of last year's
graduates is now stenographer for
President Oment of the Civil Ser-
vice College, Wright Building, St.
Louis.

Miss Blankenship entered the col-
lege bank last week to become the
successor of Mr. English.

Just Half in Bed.

Clyde, Ky.—Mrs. I. A. Decker,
writes from Clyde, "I recommend
Cardul, the woman's tonic, to any
woman in need of a remedy. For
five years, I was unable to do my
work. Half my time was spent in
bed. At times, I could not stand.
At last I tried Cardul. Now I am
well and happy, and can do my own
work." Don't suffer pain, headache,
backache, and other womanly mis-
ery when your own druggist has on
his shelf a remedy—Cardul. Get a
bottle for your shelf.

The little daughter that was born
to R. H. Donnell, who lives near
Hillsboro, last week, starts in life
with two grandfathers, two grand-
mothers and to great-grandmothers.

An attack of the grip is often fol-
lowed by a persistent cough, which
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